



Communicable Disease Branch Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Weekly Key Points

March 9, 2021

The North Carolina Division of Public Health (NC DPH) Communicable Disease Branch will be releasing COVID-19 weekly key points that includes information discussed on the weekly Tuesday Local Health Department call. Recordings of the call will not be made available; please use the information below as a summary of the topics presented on the call. As guidance changes, please use the most recent information provided. For questions, contact the NC DPH Communicable Disease Branch 24/7 Epidemiologist on Call at **919-733-3419**.

Important Updates

- **New:** NCDHHS_LHD Weekly Webinar_03.09.2021.pdf (file attached)
- **Updated:** Local Health Vaccine FAQ - 3.05.21.pdf (file attached)
- **Updated:** Find My Testing Place (file attached)

Contact Tracing and CCTO Update

- A CCTO upgrade is planned for this weekend (March 11-14).
- Beginning Friday, March 12 at noon, CCTO will be read-only; the URL for the upgraded system will be distributed Monday (morning), March 15.
- Daily monitoring emails/texts will stop Thursday, March 11 after 6 pm.
- Notification texts and emails will continue for records entered in NC COVID (both cases and contacts) throughout this period.
- A template will be provided for upload of contacts created over the weekend by people not using NC COVID to load contacts.
- CCTO administrators have already received this information in an email last Friday; more detail and the import template will be provided in a forthcoming email.

Find My Testing Place

Please review the updated 'Find My Testing Place LHD' Excel file weekly to ensure information is up to date and accurate. Please send the updated files or any related questions to SVC_Covid-19TestingSites@dhhs.nc.gov

Q & A Session

Q: For the AA 716 funding, does that carry over to FY22? If so, will there be any clarification or new revision with a service period date beyond May 31, 2021?

A: Unspent funding from AA 716 will carry over into the SFY22's AA. There will not be a revision, the SFY22 AA will be initiated using the unspent funding and have a funding period of June 1, 2021 – May 31, 2022.